



Docket No.: 15685P024

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

MARK C. LIEFER, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/336,933

Filed: June 21, 1999

For: **NULL DEEPENING FOR AN ADAPTIVE  
ANTENNA BASED COMMUNICATION**

Art Group: 2685

Examiner: P. Tran

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F. R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully Petition the Commissioner for a one (1) month extension of time, extending the period for response to March 17, 2004, from the Advisory Action dated January 21, 2004. The petition filing fee of \$110.00 and a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) are attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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